



## **Situation Report**

6/01/2020 COVID-19

Incident Number: 1 Sit Rep#: 13

Incident Type: Pandemic

City of Medina: Activation Level: Level -3 (Monitoring)

Confirmed Cases in Medina: *Unchanged* - 11 have positive results, at a rate of 339.0 per 100,000 residents. Among those with a positive result: 0 (0.0%) have died due to illness, at a rate of 0.0

per 100,000 residents.

Confirmed Cases in Hunts Point: 0 have positive results, at a rate of 0.0 per 100,000 residents.

Source: https://kingcounty.gov/depts/health/covid-19/data.aspx

Operational Period: 05/26/2020 to 05/31/2020

Political Subdivisions: King County, Snohomish County, Pierce County

Incident Commander: City Manager Michael Sauerwein

Public Information: Joint Information at direction of Incident Commander

**General Situation:** 

Gov. Inslee's **Stay at Home** order to expire, Sunday, May 31. A modified move to Phase 2 would require a target of 25 new cases over 14 days / 100k to be reached. Currently the data sits at 28 cases per 100k. (The original target was less than 10/100k)

Executive Constantine has indicated there will be additional guidelines that will allow for some businesses to reopen sooner.

Governor Inslee, in collaboration with the Washington State Department of Health, has established a data-driven approach to reopen Washington and modify physical distancing measures while minimizing the health impacts of COVID-19. Washington will move through the phased reopening county-by-county allowing for flexibility and local control to address COVID-19 activity geographically.

The plan involves assessing COVID-19 activity along with health care system readiness, testing capacity and availability, case and contact investigations, and ability to protect high-risk populations. The plan allows counties and the secretary of Health to holistically review COVID-19 activity and the ability for the county to respond when determining if a county is ready to move into a new phase.

The Washington State Emergency Operations Center is currently responding to an outbreak of respiratory disease caused by a novel (new) coronavirus that was first detected in China. The virus has been named "SARS-CoV-2" and the disease it causes has been named "coronavirus disease 2019" (abbreviated "COVID-19"). The Washington State Emergency Operations Center has been fully activated since January 22, 2020 with ESF 8 taking the lead in response efforts.

The Governor issued Emergency Proclamation 20-05 on Saturday, February 29, 2020. Ongoing executive orders and actions provide measures to reduce spreading of COVID-19.

The Washington State Emergency Operations Center is currently activated at Level one (1) Full Activation for the COVID 19 Response.

On Friday, March 13, 2020, President Trump declared a nationwide emergency pursuant to Sec. 501(b) of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, 42 U.S.C. 5121-5207 (the "Stafford Act"). This increases federal support to the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) in its role as the lead federal agency for the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic response.

### Governor's Office, DOH, and other WA State departments

#### **Governor's Office**

## 5/31/20

Gov. Jay Inslee issued his <u>Safe Start proclamation</u> as the <u>Stay Home, Stay Healthy order</u> is set to expire May 31 at 11:59 PM.

The governor announced <u>Safe Start — Washington's Phased Reopening</u> plan on Friday during a press conference where he detailed the county-by-county approach.

On June 1, each county begins in their current phase. Any county can apply to the secretary of Health to move to the next phase. The application process will require the county to report on key metrics set by the secretary of Health along with other quantitative and qualitative data. The application must be submitted by the county executive, in accordance with the instructions provided by the secretary of Health.

The secretary of Health will evaluate county applications based on how their data for the key metrics compare to the targets and their ability to respond to situations that may arise in their county, including outbreaks, increased hospitalizations or deaths, health system capacity and other factors. The targets each contribute to reducing risk of disease transmission and are to be considered in whole. Where one target is not fully achieved, actions taken with a different target may offset the **overall risk.** The secretary may approve a county moving in whole to the next phase or may only approve certain activities in the next phase depending on a specific county's situation.

A county will stay in every phase for a **minimum of three weeks**. During that time, the Department of Health, County Elected Leadership, Local Health Jurisdictions, and the governor will re-evaluate the above targets. No phase will last less than three weeks before moving to the next phase, unless moving to a previous phase, in order to allow one complete disease incubation period plus an additional week to compile complete data and confirm trends. After three weeks, a county may apply to move to the next phase through the

application provided by the secretary of Health.

#### Other announcements:

- State to reopen campgrounds in 22 counties
- Inslee's long-term care testing plan and farmworker protections
- COVID-19 risk assessment dashboard (May 27<sup>th</sup>) Face covering directive is now in effect: Prevent spreading COVID-19 when unable to maintain 6 feet of distance

#### **Washington State**

Washington Critical supplies delivered: 1.5 million N95 respirators, 983,890 gloves, 127,201 face shields, 841,348 surgical masks and 500 ventilators. • As of May 28, FEMA has obligated \$76.0 million in federal support to Washington. • As of May 28, one Battelle N95 decontamination unit is in Tacoma. • A phased reopening is underway.

Covid-19 Transmission increasing in eastern Washington, decreasing in Western Washington, based on data from May 3-12 (JIC News Release). Kittitas, Thurston, and Walla Walla Counties approved for Phase 2.

The Washington State Department of Health <u>dashboard</u> is updated daily

# **Public Health-Seattle & King County**

King County COVID-19 numbers as of May 29 = 8,006 confirmed cases (+29 from May 28); 554 deaths (+2 from May 28)

## Latest updates from **Public Health Insider** blog, including:

- Not everyone needs to wear a face covering. But why?
- Vaccinations keep your child safe before and after COVID-19
- Reminder: Anyone with #COVID19 symptoms, or close contact with someone who has it, should be tested

Daily details for new cases and more are available on the Daily Dashboards including:

#### **King County Government**

- Executive Constantine announces plan to re-open limited business activity in COVID-19 recovery
- King County Donations Connector.
  - o Total organizations requesting via Donations Connector platform: 66 total
  - o Total organizations offering via Donations Connector platform: 35 total
  - O Total donations logged for the response: 152
  - o Economic, social and overall health impacts:
- <a href="https://www.kingcounty.gov/depts/health/covid-19/data/impacts.aspx">https://www.kingcounty.gov/depts/health/covid-19/data/impacts.aspx</a>

### **FEMA**

Distribution of Infrared Thermometers

# <u>USDA</u>

USDA Approves Program to Feed Kids in Washington

### **Centers for Disease Control and Prevention**

- Symptoms of Coronavirus
- Cases in U.S.

### **City of Medina**

- Leadership is working on specifics for return to work and exploring options for returning to business. Social distancing, reviewing the layout of facilities to support NPI (Nonpharmaceutical interventions). Expectations (NPI), for example, wearing face coverings, social distancing, will be the new normal. Currently work is underway on a staff Return to work Plan. It appears Phase 2 would allow general officer workers to return to work. Phase 3 specifically references government buildings. Development services has begun office working with no public contact. Public Works is back in service working staggered shifts.
- Community focus include consistent messages balancing between information overload and targeted
  messaging; officers offering a reassuring presence around the city- focusing on encouraging voluntary
  compliance and poised for stepping up efforts should the need arise. Information shared via Medina
  Police Facebook, City Website and Twitter

### Operational

•	Ongoing	Daily Department Director's Meeting on Coronavirus
•	Ongoing	Daily King County Emergency Operational (KCEOC) (2:30 pm) check in
•	Ongoing	Website – updated regularly to reflect changing advice
•	Ongoing	Disseminate Public Health, CDC, Washington State, King County public messaging
•	Ongoing	Starting 3/4/2020 King County DOH and EOC provide updates on situation regarding
	ongoing actions as they relate to COVID-19.	

#### Websites

### **COVID-19** key hubs of online information and resources:

- **Local** www.kingcounty.gov/covid
- State www.coronavirus.wa.gov
  - <u>COVID-19 County Variance Application Process</u>
- Federal https://www.coronavirus.gov/ and www.cdc.gov/coronavirus
- King County Regional Donations Connector Matching donations of money, food, goods, and services to agencies in need: <a href="www.kingcounty.gov/emergency/donate">www.kingcounty.gov/emergency/donate</a>. Direct questions to donations@kingcounty.gov.